

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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U.S. Serial No.: 10/018,727

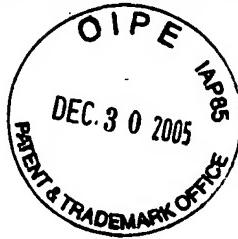
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Application No.: PCT/GB00/02371

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For: **FUNCTIONALISED SOLID SURFACES**

Docket No. 41577-266144

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a paper in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has been established.
 Applicant claims small entity status.
 No additional fee is required.
 The additional fee is calculated as shown below:

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
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INDEP.	3	MINUS	3=	0	x100	\$	x200	\$
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				TOTAL				
				ADDITIONAL FEE \$	\$0			

- A check in the amount of \$ is attached.
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR §1.16, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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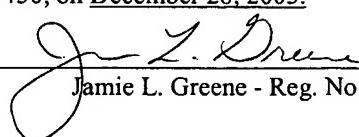
In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 28, 2005, applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejected claims based upon the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 10 of this paper.

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